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| FORM PTO-1390<br>REV. 2/01T   |                                     | U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE   |                                     | ATTORNEY'S DOCKET NUMBER<br>07040.0102   |  |
| <b>TRANSMITTAL LETTER TO THE UNITED STATES<br/>         DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US)<br/>         CONCERNING A FILING UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371</b>   |                                     |   |                                     | U.S. APPLICATION NO.<br>(If known, see 37CFR1.5)<br><b>09/937308</b>                           |  |
| INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION NO.<br>PCT/EP01/00815   |                                     | INTERNATIONAL FILING DATE<br>January 24, 2001   |                                     | PRIORITY DATE CLAIMED<br>January 25, 2000  |  |
| <b>TITLE OF INVENTION</b><br><b>DEVICE FOR CONTINUOUSLY MEASURING DEFORMATIONS IN A TYRE DURING THE TRAVEL<br/>         MOVEMENT OF A MOTOR VEHICLE</b> |                                     |   |                                     |  |  |
| <b>APPLICANT(S) FOR DO/EO/US</b><br><b>Federico MANCOSU and Giuseppe MATRASCIA</b>  |                                     |   |                                     |  |  |
| Applicant(s) herewith submits to the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) the following items and other information:                      |                                     |   |                                     |  |  |
| 1.  | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | This is a <b>FIRST</b> submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371.   |                                     |  |  |
| 2.  | <input type="checkbox"/>            | This is a <b>SECOND</b> or <b>SUBSEQUENT</b> submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371.   |                                     |  |  |
| 3.  | <input type="checkbox"/>            | This is an express request to begin national examination procedures (35 U.S.C. 371(f)). The submission must include items (5), (6), (9) and (21) indicated below. |                                     |  |  |
| 4.  | <input type="checkbox"/>            | The US has been elected by the expiration of 19 months from the priority date (Article 31).   |                                     |  |  |
| 5.  | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | A copy of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371 (c)(2)).  |                                     |  |  |
|   |                                     | a.  | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | is attached hereto (required only if not communicated by the International Bureau).            |  |
|   |                                     | b.  | <input type="checkbox"/>            | has been communicated by the International Bureau.   |  |
|   |                                     | c.  | <input type="checkbox"/>            | is not required, as the application was filed with the United States Receiving Office (RO/US). |  |
| 6.  | <input type="checkbox"/>            | An English language translation of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371 (c)(2)).   |                                     |  |  |
|   |                                     | a.  | <input type="checkbox"/>            | is attached hereto.  |  |
|   |                                     | b.  | <input type="checkbox"/>            | has been previously submitted under 35 U.S.C. 154 (d)(4).                                      |  |
| 7.  | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | Amendments to the claims of the International Application under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371 (c)(3)).  |                                     |  |  |
|   |                                     | a.  | <input type="checkbox"/>            | are attached hereto (required only if not communicated by the International Bureau).           |  |
|   |                                     | b.  | <input type="checkbox"/>            | have been communicated by the International Bureau.  |  |
|   |                                     | c.  | <input type="checkbox"/>            | have not been made; however, the time limit for making such amendments has NOT expired.        |  |
|   |                                     | d.  | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | have not been made and will not be made.   |  |
| 8.  | <input type="checkbox"/>            | An English language translation of the amendments to the claims under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371 (c)(3)).  |                                     |  |  |
| 9.  | <input type="checkbox"/>            | An oath or declaration of the inventor(s) (35 U.S.C. 371 (c)(4)).   |                                     |  |  |
| 10.   | <input type="checkbox"/>            | An English language translation of the annexes of the International Preliminary Examination Report under PCT Article 36 (35 U.S.C. 371 (c)(5)).                   |                                     |  |  |
| <b>Items 11 to 20 below concern document(s) or information included:</b>  |                                     |   |                                     |  |  |
| 11.   | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | Information Disclosure Statement under 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98   |                                     |  |  |
| 12.   | <input type="checkbox"/>            | An assignment document for recording. A separate cover sheet in compliance with 37 CFR 3.28 and 3.31 is included.   |                                     |  |  |
| 13.   | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | A <b>FIRST</b> preliminary amendment with Abstract of the Disclosure (1 page).  |                                     |  |  |
| 14.   | <input type="checkbox"/>            | A <b>SECOND</b> or <b>SUBSEQUENT</b> preliminary amendment.   |                                     |  |  |
| 15.   | <input type="checkbox"/>            | A Substitute specification.   |                                     |  |  |
| 16.   | <input type="checkbox"/>            | A change of power of attorney and/or address letter.  |                                     |  |  |
| 17.   | <input type="checkbox"/>            | A computer-readable form of the sequence listing in accordance with PCT Rule 13ter.2 and 35 U.S.C. 1.821-1.825.   |                                     |  |  |
| 18.   | <input type="checkbox"/>            | A second copy of the published international application under 35 U.S.C. 154 (d)(4).  |                                     |  |  |
| 19.   | <input type="checkbox"/>            | A second copy of the English language translation of the international application 35 U.S.C. 154 (d)(4).  |                                     |  |  |
| 20.   | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | Other items or information:   |                                     |  |  |
|   |                                     | a.  | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | Copy of cover page of International Publication No. WO01/54955 A1                              |  |
|   |                                     | b.  | <input type="checkbox"/>            | Copy of Notification of Missing Requirements.  |  |
|   |                                     | c.  | <input type="checkbox"/>            |  |  |

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| 21. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The following fees are submitted:   |                     |   |             | CALCULATIONS PTO USE ONLY  |    |
| <b>BASIC NATIONAL FEE (37 CFR 1.492 (a) (1) - (5)):</b>   |                     |   |             |  |    |
| Neither international preliminary examination fee (37 CFR 1.482)<br>nor international search fee (37 CFR 1.445(a)(2)) paid to USPTO<br>and International Search Report not prepared by the EPO or JPO ..... <b>\$1000.00</b>  |                     |   |             |  |    |
| International preliminary examination fee (37 CFR 1.482) not paid to<br>USPTO but International Search Report prepared by the EPO or JPO ..... <b>\$860.00</b>  |                     |   |             |  |    |
| International preliminary examination fee (37 CFR 1.482) not paid to<br>USPTO but International Search fee (37 CFR 1.445(a)(2)) paid to USPTO ..... <b>\$710.00</b>   |                     |   |             |  |    |
| International preliminary examination fee (37 CFR 1.482) paid to USPTO<br>but all claims did not satisfy provisions of PCT Article 33(1)-(4) ..... <b>\$690.00</b>  |                     |   |             |  |    |
| International preliminary examination fee (37 CFR 1.482) paid to<br>USPTO and all claims satisfied provisions of PCT Article 33 (1)-(4) ..... <b>\$100.00</b>   |                     |   |             |  |    |
| <b>ENTER APPROPRIATE BASIC FEE AMOUNT =</b>   |                     |   |             | <b>\$860.00</b>  |    |
| Surcharge of \$130.00 for furnishing the oath or declaration later than<br>months from the earliest claimed priority date (37 CFR 1.492 (e)). <input type="checkbox"/> 20 <input type="checkbox"/> 30   |                     |   |             | \$   |    |
| <b>CLAIMS</b>   | <b>NUMBER FILED</b> | <b>NUMBER EXTRA</b>                             | <b>RATE</b> |  |    |
| Total Claims  | 17                  | - 20 =  | x \$18.00   | \$   |    |
| Independent Claims  | 3                   | - 3 =   | x \$80.00   | \$   |    |
| MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM(S) (if applicable)   |                     |   | + \$270.00  | \$   |    |
| <b>TOTAL OF THE ABOVE CALCULATIONS =</b>  |                     |   |             | <b>\$860.00</b>  |    |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. The fees indicated above are reduced by 1/2.  |                     |   |             | \$   |    |
| <b>SUBTOTAL =</b>   |                     |   |             | <b>\$860.00</b>  |    |
| Processing fee of \$130.00 for furnishing the English translation later than<br>months from the earliest priority date (37 CFR 1.492(f)). <input type="checkbox"/> 20 <input type="checkbox"/> 30   |                     |   |             | \$   |    |
| <b>TOTAL NATIONAL FEE =</b>   |                     |   |             | <b>860.00</b>  |    |
| Fee for recording the enclosed assignment (37 CFR 1.21 (h)). The assignment must be accompanied by<br>an appropriate cover sheet (37 CFR 3.28, 3.31). <b>\$40.00</b> per property.  |                     |   |             | \$   |    |
| <b>TOTAL FEES ENCLOSED =</b>  |                     |   |             | <b>\$860.00</b>  |    |
|   |                     |   |             | Amount to be<br>refunded:  | \$ |
|   |                     |   |             | charged:   | \$ |
| a. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> A check in the amount of \$ <u>860.00</u> to cover the above fees is enclosed.   |                     |   |             |  |    |
| b. <input type="checkbox"/> Please charge my Deposit Account No. _____ in the amount of \$ _____ to cover the above fees.<br>A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.  |                     |   |             |  |    |
| c. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment to<br>Deposit Account No. <u>06-0916</u> . A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.                      |                     |   |             |  |    |
| d. <input type="checkbox"/> Fees are to be charged to a credit card. <b>WARNING:</b> Information on this form may become public. <b>Credit card<br/>information should not be included on this form.</b> Provide credit card information and authorization on PTO-2038. |                     |   |             |  |    |
| NOTE: Where an appropriate time limit under 37 CFR 1.494 or 1.495 has not been met, a petition to revive (37 CFR 1.137 (a) or (b))<br>must be filed and granted to restore the application to pending status.   |                     |   |             |  |    |
| <b>SEND ALL CORRESPONDENCE TO:</b>  |                     |   |             |  |    |
| Finnegan, Henderson, Farabow, Garrett & Dunner, L.L.P.<br>1300 I Street, N.W.<br>Washington, D.C. 20005-3315  |                     |   |             |  |    |
| DATED: September 24, 2001   |                     |   |             | <br>SIGNATURE<br>Ernest F. Chapman, Reg. No. 25,961<br>NAME/REGISTRATION NO. |    |

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